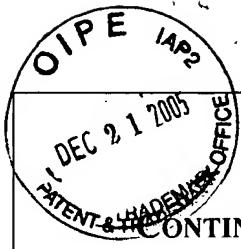


12-22-05

RCE/P
EFW

**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

<i>Application Number</i>	10/612,658
<i>Filing Date</i>	July 2, 2003
<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Galligan
<i>Group Art Unit</i>	1754
<i>Examiner Name</i>	Ngoc-Yen M. Nguyen
<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	4576/4581A(CON)

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application entitled **PLIABLE METAL CATALYST CARRIERS, CONFORMABLE CATALYST MEMBERS MADE THEREFROM AND METHODS OF INSTALLING THE SAME**.

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

1. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on .
2. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .
3. An Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.116 (15 pages) is enclosed.
4. A new power of attorney (pages) is enclosed.
5. An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed (pages).
 a. Form(s) 1449
 b. Copies of IDS Citations
6. A credit card payment form is attached to pay the RCE filing fee required under C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
7. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any fees set forth in 37 CFR §§ 1.16 through 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 50-3329.
8. A Petition for Extension of Time in the prior application (1 pages) is enclosed along with a credit card payment form to pay the extension fee.

By: 
 Atty: Scott S Servilla
 Reg. No. 40806
 (732) 815-0404

Engelhard Corporation
 101 Wood Avenue, P.O. Box 770
 Iselin, NJ 08830-0770

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.10: The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as Express mail (EQ 182 832 884 US), in an envelope addressed to: Attn-Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 21st day of December, 2005.

Signature
 Name: Scott S. Servilla

12/23/2005 MBIZUNES 00000101 10612658

01 FC:1801

790.00 OP